THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Masaru KIHARA Group Art Unit: 1745

Application Number: 10/720,700 Examiner: Raymond Alejandro

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For: NICKEL HYDROGEN SECONDARY BATTERY HAVING

IMPROVED HIGH-TEMPERATURE CHARGING EFFICIENCY (AS

AMENDED)

Attorney Docket Number:

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<u>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</u>

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 1, 2007

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated February 1, 2007 for one month(s) from May 1, 2007 to June 1, 2007.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$120.00 for the cost of the extension.

If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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